# STATE OF UTAH DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

#### APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE

# BURGLAR ALARM COMPANY AGENT

#### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

General Statement: The Utah Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (DOPL) desires to provide courteous and timely service to all applicants for licensure. To facilitate the application process, submit a complete application form including all applicable supporting documents and fees. Failure to submit a complete application and supply all necessary information will delay processing and may result in denial of licensure. The fees are for processing your application and will not be refunded. Please read all instructions carefully.

**Address of Record:** The address you provide on this application will be your address of record. All correspondence from DOPL will be sent to that address. You are responsible to directly notify DOPL of any change to your address of record. Do not rely on a forwarding order.

**Social Security Number:** Your social security number is classified as a private record under the Utah Government Records Access and Management Act. It is used by DOPL as an individual identifier. It is also used for child support enforcement pursuant to Subsection 78-32-17(3) and is mandatory pursuant to Subsection 58-1-301(1), Utah Code Ann., which implements 42 U.S.C. 666(a)(13). If an SSN is not provided, the application is incomplete and may be denied.

#### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AND FEES:

- 1. Submit your completed application to DOPL. See below under "Additional Important Information" for DOPL address and contact information.
- 2. Submit fingerprints to be used by DOPL for a fingerprint search through the files of the Utah Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI) and the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI). See below under "Additional Important Information" for fingerprint information.
- 3. Submit a copy of a driver's license issued by Washington D.C., a state of the United States of America or an identification card issued by the state of Utah. **Note:** The copy of the driver's license/Utah ID, including the number, must be clear and readable.
- 4. Submit a **\$95.00** non-refundable application-processing fee, made payable to "DOPL," that includes a \$60.00 application fee, a \$15.00 surcharge for a BCI fingerprint file search, and a \$20.00 surcharge for a FBI fingerprint file search.

#### ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- 1. **Laws and Rules:** You are required to understand all Utah laws and rules pertaining to your practice as a burglar alarm company agent. The following applicable laws and rules are available on the Internet at <a href="https://www.dopl.utah.gov">www.dopl.utah.gov</a>:
  - □ Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing Act
  - ☐ General Rules of the Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing
  - □ Utah Construction Trades Licensing Act
  - □ Burglar Alarm Security and Licensing Act Rules
- 2. **Current Documents:** Applications, statutes, rules, and forms are occasionally changed. Go to <a href="https://www.dopl.utah.gov">www.dopl.utah.gov</a> to ensure you have the most recent version of these documents.
- 3. **Fingerprint Information:** All applicants are required to undergo a criminal background check and fingerprint search through the files of the Utah Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

Only an initial license will be issued. Fingerprint cards that are not complete and/or properly rolled will be rejected, delaying the licensure process. Due to the high number of inked fingerprint cards that are rejected and the amount of time it takes state and federal government agencies to process these cards, applicants are encouraged at the time of application to have their fingerprints electronically scanned at DOPL.

To expedite the licensing process, you can obtain electronic fingerprinting at DOPL's offices (160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City), 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday, except holidays. Applicants that arrive late in the day without leaving sufficient time to be processed will be turned away. For DOPL applicants that have paid the required non-refundable fees, there is no additional cost for DOPL to roll and scan the fingerprints electronically. A current government issued picture identification of one of the following is required: a driver's license issued by Washington D.C., a state of the United State of America or an identification card issued by the state of Utah.

#### OR

If you are unable to obtain electronic fingerprints at DOPL's office, you must include two (2) blue fingerprint cards (Form FD-258) with your application. **To have your fingerprints** rolled onto the blue fingerprint cards, you must go to BCI or a local police station. Fingerprint cards can be obtained from the agency that rolled your fingerprints.

#### **BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION (BCI) INFORMATION:**

- \$13.00 fee for up to three fingerprint cards
- Walk-ins only; no appointments taken
- Fingerprinting and Photo Services are available from 7:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m., Monday Thursday except holidays
- Government-issued picture ID required (*driver's license, state ID, passport, etc.*)
- Website: www.bci.utah.gov
- Phone: (801) 965-4569
- Address: 3888 W. 5400 S., Taylorsville, UT 84118 (1/2 block west of Bangerter Highway, behind McDonalds)

**REVIEW OF YOUR FBI RECORD:** If you wish to challenge the accuracy of the information in your FBI record, you should contact the agency that contributed the information in question. You may also direct the challenge to the FBI, Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division, Attn. SCU, Mod. D-2, 1000 Custer Hollow Road, Clarksburg, WV 26306. The FBI will forward the challenge to the respective agency.

- 4. **Processing Time:** Processing time for an application, where the fingerprints have been electronically scanned by DOPL and there are no issues that need to be resolved, is approximately two weeks. Until the license has been issued by DOPL an applicant can "not" begin working in the state as a Burglar Alarm Company Agent.
- 5. **License Renewal:** All burglar alarm licenses expire November 30 of even-numbered years.

Unlike many other states, Utah's license renewal schedule **is not** based on the licensee's date of initial licensure. Under Utah's renewal system, all licenses in each profession expire as a group on the same day every two years. Therefore, the length of a licensee's first renewal cycle depends on how far into the current renewal cycle initial licensure was obtained. Each renewal cycle thereafter is for a full two years.

Additionally, the fee paid with this application for licensure is an application-processing fee only. It does not include a renewal fee. Each licensee is responsible to renew licensure **PRIOR** to the expiration date shown on the current license. Approximately two months prior to the expiration date shown on the license, renewal information is disseminated to each licensee's last address of record, as provided to DOPL.

- 6. **Name Change:** If you have been licensed by DOPL under any other name, please submit documentation of your name change (i.e. copy of a marriage license or divorce decree).
- 7. **Updating Address Information:** It is your responsibility to maintain a current address with DOPL. If your address is incorrect, you will not receive renewal notices or other correspondence. Address changes can be made online at <a href="https://www.dopl.utah.gov">www.dopl.utah.gov</a>.
- 8. **Ceremonial Certificate of Licensure:** After obtaining your license from DOPL, you can order a Ceremonial Certificate of Licensure, printed on parchment paper with original signatures and an embossed gold seal. Order forms can be obtained at www.dopl.utah.gov.
- 9. **Acceptable Forms of Payment:** Licensure fees can be paid by check or money order, made payable to "DOPL." Cash and debit/credit cards (*American Express, MasterCard, and Visa*) are also accepted in person at DOPL's main office but not over the telephone.

## 10. **Mail Complete Application to:**

#### By U.S. Mail

Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing P.O. Box 146741 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-6741

## By Delivery or Express Mail

Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing 160 East 300 South, 1st Floor Lobby

Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

11. **Telephone Numbers:** (801) 530-6628

(866) 275-3675 – Toll-free in Utah

12. **Fax Number:** (801) 530-6511

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## **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

License Applying For:	BURGLAR ALARM COMP	ANY AGENT
Social Security Number:		
Last Name:	Maiden Name: _	
First Name:	Middle Name:	
Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female	Date of Birth:/	/
Telephone:	Cell:	
E-Mail:		
Have You Ever Held A Utah License	e Before? 🗖 Yes 🔲 No	
If Yes, Name of Profession:		
If Yes, License Number:		
MAILING ADDRESS:		
Street:		
City:	State:	Zip:
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Date License/Certificate Denied://_		
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Reason for Denial/Other Comments:		

AFFIDAVIT FOR UTAH LAWS AND RULI	ES	
I understand that it is my responsibility to read a my practice as a burglar alarm company agent in		
Signature of Applicant:		
LICENSES: List all licenses, registrations, or certifications is held. Copy the following page if additional sheet	ssued by any state that you now l	
Name on License:		
License Number:		
State/Municipality Issuing:		
Address for Issuing Agency:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone Number(s) for Issuing Agency:		
License Classification:		
Issue Date of License://	Expiration Date of License:	/
Name on License:		
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 $(Attach\ additional\ sheets\ if\ needed.)$ 

# BURGLAR ALARM COMPANY AGENT QUALIFYING QUESTIONNAIRE

Answer "yes	s" or "no" for each question. Do not leave any question blank.
1	Have you ever applied for or received a license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession under any name other than the name listed on this application?
2	Have you ever been denied the right to sit for a licensure examination?
3	Have you ever had a license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice a regulated profession denied, conditioned, curtailed, limited, restricted, suspended, revoked, reprimanded, or disciplined in any way?
4	Have you ever been permitted to resign or surrender your license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession while under investigation or while action was pending against you by any professional licensing agency or criminal or administrative jurisdiction?
5	Are you currently under investigation or is any disciplinary action pending against you now by any licensing agency or governmental agency?
6	Is any action pending against you now by either the Federal Drug Enforcement Administration or any state drug enforcement agency?
7	If you are licensed in the occupation/profession for which you are applying, would you pose a direct threat to yourself, to your clients, or to the public health, safety, or welfare because of any circumstance or condition?
8	Have you ever been declared by any court of competent jurisdiction incompetent by reason of mental defect or disease and not restored?
9	Have you ever had a documented case in which you were involved as the abuser in any incident of verbal, physical, mental, or sexual abuse?
10	Have you ever been terminated from a position because of drug use or abuse?
11	Are you currently using or have you recently ( <i>within 90 days</i> ) used any drugs ( <i>including recreational drugs</i> ) without a valid prescription, the possession or distribution of which is unlawful under the Utah Controlled Substances Act or other applicable state or federal law?
12.	Have you ever used any drugs without a valid prescription, the possession or distribution of which is unlawful under the Utah Controlled Substances Act or other applicable state or federal law, for which you have not successfully completed or are not now participating in a supervised drug rehabilitation program, or for which you have not otherwise been successfully rehabilitated?
	(Continued on the next page.)

13	Do you currently have any criminal action pending?
14	Have you pled guilty to, no contest to, entered into a plea in abeyance or been convicted of a misdemeanor in any jurisdiction within the past ten (10) years? Motor vehicle offenses such as driving while impaired or intoxicated must be disclosed but minor traffic offenses such as parking or speeding violations need not be listed.
15	Have you ever pled guilty to, no contest to, or been convicted of a felony in any jurisdiction?
16	Have you, in the past ten (10) years, been allowed to plea guilty or no contest to any criminal charge that was later dismissed (i.e. plea in abeyance or deferred sentence)?
17	Have you ever been incarcerated for any reason in any federal, state or county correctional facility or in any correctional facility in any other jurisdiction or on probation/parole in any jurisdiction?

If you answered "yes" to questions 13, 14, 15, 16, or 17 above, you must submit a complete narrative of the circumstances that occurred for EACH and EVERY conviction, plea in abeyance, and/or deferred sentence. You must also attach copies of all applicable police report(s), court record(s), and probation/parole officer report(s).

If you are unable to obtain any of the records required above, you must submit documentation on official letterhead from the police department and/or court indicating that the information is no longer available.

If you have formally expunged a criminal record as evidenced by a court order signed by a judge, you do not need to disclose that criminal history. Expungement orders must be sent to the Bureau of Criminal Identification and the FBI to enable the expungement to be completed and the criminal history eliminated from the records.

If you answered "yes" to any of the above questions, enclose with this application complete information with respect to all circumstances and the final result, if such has been reached.

A "yes" answer does not necessarily mean you will not be granted a license; however, DOPL may request additional documentation if the information submitted is insufficient.

# **AFFIDAVIT and RELEASE AUTHORIZATION**

I am the applicant described and identified in this application for licensure, certification, or registration in the State of Utah.

I am qualified in all respects for the license, certificate, or registration for which I am applying in this application.

To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application and its supporting document(s) is free of fraud, misrepresentation, or omission of material fact.

To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application and its supporting document(s) is truthful, correct, and complete; and, discloses all material facts regarding the applicant and associated individuals necessary to properly evaluate the applicant's qualifications for licensure.

I will ensure that any information subsequently submitted to the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing in conjunction with this application or its supporting documents meet the same standard as set forth above.

I understand that it is unlawful and punishable as a class A misdemeanor to apply for or obtain a license or to otherwise deal with the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing or a licensing board through the use of fraud, forgery, or intentional deception, misrepresentation, misstatement, or omission.

I understand that this application will be classified as a public record and will be available for inspection by the public, except with regard to the release of information which is classified as controlled, private, or protected under the Government Records Access and Management Act or restricted by other law.

I authorize all persons, institutions, organization, schools, governmental agencies, employers, references, or any others not specifically included in the preceding characterization, which are set forth directly or by reference in this application, to release to the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, State of Utah, any files, records, or information of any type reasonably required for the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to properly evaluate my qualifications for licensure/certification/registration by the State of Utah.

Signature of Applicant:	
Date of Signature:/	
Printed Name of Applicant:	